

## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the

Southern District of Texas

United States of America  
v.  
Samuel ARREDONDO-Cerda

Case No.

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Defendant(s)

## CRIMINAL COMPLAINT

I, the complainant in this case, state that the following is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

On or about the date(s) of December 31, 2019 in the county of Webb in the  
Southern District of Texas, the defendant(s) violated:

*Code Section*

8 USC 1326

*Offense Description*

A citizen of Mexico, who has previously been REMOVED or has departed the United States while an order of REMOVAL is outstanding was thereafter found in the United States in or near Bruni, Texas the said Defendant having not obtained the consent of the Attorney General of the United States (prior to March 1, 2003) or of the Secretary of the Department of Homeland Security (March 1, 2003 and thereafter- Title 6, United States Code, Sections 202 and 557) for the reapplication by the said Defendant for admission into the United States. +

This criminal complaint is based on these facts:

On or about December 31, 2019 the defendant Samuel ARREDONDO-Cerda was apprehended near Bruni, Texas. After a brief interview it was determined that, Samuel ARREDONDO-Cerda was an undocumented alien from Mexico and subsequently placed under arrest. Further investigation revealed that Samuel ARREDONDO-Cerda was previously REMOVED from the United States on 04/26/2016 at Del Rio, Tx. There is no record that Samuel ARREDONDO-Cerda has applied for or received permission from the Attorney General or the Secretary of Homeland Security to re-enter the United States after deportation.

☐ Continued on the attached sheet.

/S/Joshua Steele

Complainant's signature

Joshua Steele

Border Patrol Agent

Printed name and title

Sworn to before me and signed in my presence,

Date: January 02, 2020

City and state: Laredo, Texas

Judge's signature

Sam Sheldon

U.S. Magistrate Judge

Printed name and title